GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4066
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2002
HIRING PRIVATE GODOWNS BY FCI
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of private godowns hired by Food Corporation of India during the last twoyears and in the current year in the various States, State-wise;

(b) the buffer stock of foodgrains with FCI as on date grain-wise; and

(c) the number of godowns constructed under BOLT scheme in Maharashtra?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SH KRISHNAM RAJU)

(a): The number of private godowns hired by the Food Corporation of India are as under:-

Year	Covered	Covered & Plinth (CAP)	Total
2000-2001+	265	116	381
2001-2002++	254	120	374
2002-2003+++ (Provisional)	254	114	368

\+ As on 31st March, 2001
++ As on 31st March, 2002
+++ As on 30th June, 2002

State-wise details are given in the Statement attached.

(b): The buffer stock position of foodgrains with Food Corporation of India as on 30.6.2002 grain -wise is as under:-

(Figures in Lakh Tonnes)

Commodity	Stocks with FCI
Rice	203.32
Wheat	121.20
Total	324.52

(c): No godown under Build-Own-Lease Transfer (BOLT) scheme has been constructed by FCI anywhere in the country including Maharashtra.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4066 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 09-08-2002 IN THE LOK SABHA.

As on 31st March, 2001
As on 31st March, 2002
As on 30th June, 2002

State	Number of private godowns hired by Food Corporation of India					
	2000-2001		2001-2002		2002-2003 (Provisional)	
	Covered	CAP	Covered	CAP	Covered	CAP
Bihar	12	-	12	-	12	-
Jharkhand	4	-	4	-	4	-
Orissa	1	-	1	-	1	-
West Bengal	13	-	12	-	12	-
Sikkim	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assam	18	-	16	-	16	-
Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meghalaya	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manipur	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mizoram	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nagaland	1	-	1	-	1	-
Tripura	1	-	1	-	1	-
Delhi	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haryana	21	3	22	7	22	5
Himachal Pradesh	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jammu & Kashmir	3	-	5	-	5	-
Punjab	107	73	111	74	111	60
Chandigarh	2	5	1	4	1	3
Rajasthan	11	15	12	18	12	18
Uttar Pradesh	19	7	18	1	18	14
Uttranchal	8	-	3	1	3	-
Andhra Pradesh	16	1	11	-	11	-
Kerala	1	-	1	-	1	-
Karnataka	4	-	1	-	1	-
Tamil Nadu	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pondichery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gujarat/Kandla	6	6	5	5	5	5
Maharashtra & Goa	7	2	7	3	7	3
Madhya Pradesh	6	5	7	7	7	6
Chhatisgarh	4	-	3	-	3	-
Total	265	116	254	120	254	114